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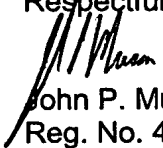
Sir:

This is a response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application having a mailing date of 04/24/2006 and for which a period for response of two (2) months from the mailing date of said Notice was set to expire 06/24/2007.

Enclosed is a Declaration by the present Inventors and a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application and a Petition for Extension of Time.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-2179 for the surcharge of \$130.00 in accordance with 37 CFR 1.16(f). Issuance of a formal Filing Receipt is respectfully solicited.

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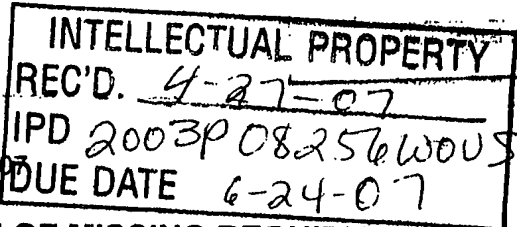
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- Copy of the International Application filed on 03/29/2006
- English Translation of the IA filed on 03/29/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 03/29/2006
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 03/29/2006
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 03/29/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 03/29/2006
- Oath or Declaration filed on 03/29/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 03/29/2006
- Substitute Specification filed on 03/29/2006

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and International filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
  - Is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

- \$130 Surcharge.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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